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Dear Sir:

In recognition of its continuing duty to disclose pursuant to 37 CFR \$1.56, Applicant hereby submits the present Information Disclosure Statement in compliance therewith.

Pursuant to 37 CFR \$1.98(d), enclosed herewith is a copy of 1) the Information Disclosure Statement and 2) the accompanying PTO Form 1449 filed in the applications 08/743,168 and 09/894,790. Application 08/743,168 was filed on November 4, 1996 and has issued as U.S. Patent No. 6,271,015, to which the present application is related by division. Application 09/894,790 was filed on June 28, 2001 and has issued as U.S. Patent No. 6,699,682, to which the present application is related by division. Also, pursuant to 37 CFR \$1.98(d), copies of the above

references are not submitted herewith, as they are available in the related patent application 09/980,869.

Applicants understand that the interpretation given to each reference may differ from one individual to another. The PTO is therefore encouraged to independently examine the disclosed references. While the references provided in this Information Disclosure Statement may be material pursuant to 37 CFR §1.56, it shall not be construed to be an admission that the cited information is, or is considered to be, material to patentability unless specifically designated as such.

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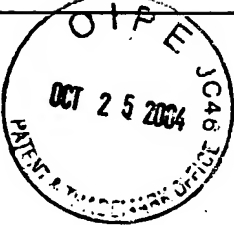
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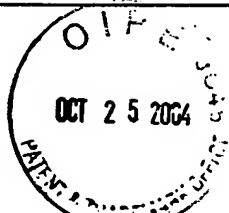
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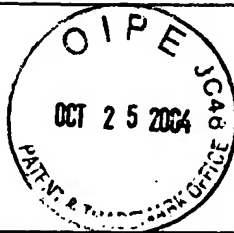
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